

CASE WW/3-22353/A/PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF
JONATHAN HUGHES ET AL.
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP 05/000519
FILED: January 20, 2005
FOR: PRODUCTION OF A FERMENTATION
PRODUCT
U.S. APPLICATION NO: 10/587,582
35 USC 371 DATE: JULY 28. 2006

Group Art Unit: 1797
Examiner: Hruskoci, Peter A.

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

LETTER

Sir:

Examiner has requested that the applicant submit a replacement terminal disclaimer over US serial no. 10/523,301. The original terminal disclaimer mistaken referred to 10/587,581 in the last paragraph of the original terminal disclaimer. The error has been corrected in the new disclaimer. The applicants believe no fee is required for submitting the corrected disclaimer.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee due, or credit any overcharge, as a result of this Amendment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.

Applicants submit that the present application is in condition for allowance. In the event that minor amendments will further prosecution, Applicants request that the examiner contact the undersigned representative.

Respectfully submitted,



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